### **Appointments to Outside Bodies**

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Committee: Council Agenda Item

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Title: Appointments to Outside Bodies

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Item for decision

### **Summary**

1 Members are asked to appoint a representative on the Board of Governors of Dame Johane Bradbury's School, Saffron Walden.

#### Recommendations

2 That a representative be appointed to the Board of Governors for a period of three years.

### **Background**

- 3 Mrs Y L Morton, a former Uttlesford Councillor, has been this Council's representative on the Board for a number of years and has now stood down.
- The Bursar of the school has asked that a new representative be appointed. Whilst the representative does not necessarily have to be a Councillor, the representative should have an interest in the school and be able to attend Governor meetings which are held in the evenings on two occasions each term.
- The Bursar has also advised me that Gerald Ellison, the Bursar of the Perse School Cambridge has attended recent meetings and could fill the District Council's vacancy if no Councillor wishes to take up the appointment.

**Impact** 

Communication/Consultation	Nil
Community Safety	Nil
Equalities	Nil
Finance	Nil
Human Rights	Nil
Legal implications	Nil
Ward-specific impacts	Nil
Workforce/Workplace	Nil

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### **Situation**

1 Whilst this appointment may not be of great direct benefit to the Council it is part of its role in community involvement.

# **Risk Analysis**

Risk	Likelihood	Impact	Mitigating actions
Lack of involvement in the local community by not making an appointment	Low	Low	To make an appointment

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